



## 2003 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 21

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1     **Relating to:** supporting a Taiwan–United States free trade agreement.

2             Whereas, Taiwan and the United States enjoy one of the most important  
3     economic and strategic international relationships that exists today; and

4             Whereas, together Taiwan and the United States promote a shared belief in  
5     freedom, democracy, and market principles; and

6             Whereas, the level of mutual investment between Taiwan and the United  
7     States is quite high; and

8             Whereas, streamlined foreign investment procedures developed under a  
9     Taiwan–United States free trade agreement would lead to further investment by  
10    firms in both Taiwan and the United States and would create new business  
11    opportunities and new jobs; and

12            Whereas, a Taiwan–United States free trade agreement would encourage  
13    greater innovations and manufacturing efficiencies by stimulating joint  
14    technological development, practical applications, and new cooperative ventures;  
15    and

